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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Confirmation No.: 9248

MIYASHITA et al.

Group Art Unit: 2812

Appln. No.: 09/916,530

Examiner: Ron Everett Pompey

Filed: July 30, 2001

Title: Semiconductor device comprising metal silicide films formed to cover gate electrode and source-drain diffusion layers and method of manufacturing the same



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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES

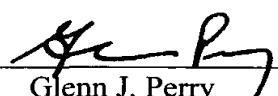
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Election Requirement set forth in the Official Action mailed September 24, 2002, Applicants hereby select 9-12 corresponding to "forming a silicide where there is not an insulating layer on the gate and source drain regions" without traverse. An action on the merits is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,
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REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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 M# | Client Ref
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Date: October 21, 2002

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim		Claims remaining after amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra		Large/Small Entity		Additional Fee		Fee Code Lg/Sm	
A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT made	For B & C See Required Separate Paper (Pat-256)	B. <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn	4	**minus	20	0	x \$18/\$9 =	+ \$0			103/203		
C. <input type="checkbox"/> made herewith		2	***minus	3	0	x \$84/\$42 =	+ \$0			102/202			
D. <input type="checkbox"/> made previously		4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application) add + \$280/\$140 = + \$0 104/204											
5. Original due Date: October 24, 2002 <input type="checkbox"/> NONE													
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached		(1 mo)	\$110/\$55 =		+ \$0						115/215		
		(2 mos)	\$400/\$200 =								116/216		
		(3 mos)	\$920/\$460 =								117/217		
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		(5 mos)	\$1,960/\$980 =								128/228		
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract						- \$0							
8.						Extension Fee		+ \$0					
9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee						+ \$110/\$55		+ \$0		148/248			
10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c), add						+ \$180		+ \$0		126			
or if Rule 97(d) Request add						+ \$180		+ \$0		126			
11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r)						+ \$740/370		+ \$0		146/246			
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b).....						x \$740/370 ea		+ \$0		149/249			
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE)						+ \$740/370		+ \$0		1179/1279			
14. Petition fee for								+ \$0					
15.						TOTAL FEE =		\$0					
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This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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